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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

Masanobu NINOMIYA et al.

Application No.: 09/722,828

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For: TONER FOR DEVELOPING ELECTROSTATIC LATENT IMAGE,
TWO-COMPONENT DEVELOPER, AND IMAGE-FORMING PROCESS

Group Art Unit: 1756

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REQUEST FOR EXAMINER INTERVIEW

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Sir:

Prior to issuance of a first Office Action in this application, Applicants request a personal interview with Examiner Dote to discuss the application. Examiner Dote is requested to telephone Applicants' undersigned representative at the telephone number listed below, to schedule the Examiner Interview.

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**LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR
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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicants hereby request continued examination and entry and consideration of the attached submission. The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 140946 in the amount of \$750.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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